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## Millinery Bazar

Will have on display Friday and Saturday, September 19 and 20, a full line of fall and winter millinery, consisting of all the newest things in hats, shapes, materials and colors, and all the latest trimmings, feathers, ribbons and flowers.

We extend to you a cordial invitation to visit our store September 19th and 20th, 1913.

N. E. MOUNTS.

Mrs. John Allen, and daughter, Mrs. Alf Heineman, went to Eldon Wednesday for a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. Ted Kelly, who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Spurlock, returned to her home in Oklahoma Tuesday.

Mrs. E. W. Hulett, of this city is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Dromgold, of Eldon, while her husband is out on a few day's fishing trip.

Douglas Hubbard left Tuesday for Lexington to attend the military academy at that place.

William Cayton, who spent his vacation working in a bank at Longwood, Mo., came home Tuesday for a short visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Cayton, before returning to college at Fayette, Mo.

Mrs. Tolliver of Westlawn, came in Tuesday from Eldon, where she had been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Adams of Humansville, Mo., came in Tuesday to visit her son, Bill Adams, of Westlawn.

It was reported that rain actually fell here Monday, about half enough to lay the dust, but a decision is deferred until the matter can be referred to some of the older residents, as the younger folks were not quite certain it was rain.

The hot spell was broken by the arrival of a cool wave Sunday, and it is hoped the dry spell is also a thing of the past, rain falling Monday and Tuesday, and with the promise of our regular September weather being with us.

The session of the Presbyterian church at its session held Monday morning at the home of W. W. Kinloch, elected J. W. McClelland delegate and E. A. Crewson alternate, to the Sedalia Presbytery, held at Gladstone Tuesday and Wednesday. They also decided to hold a series of meetings of ten days or two weeks in November, probably just before Thanksgiving.

Hurrah for Moniteau county! Moniteau County went dry Tuesday by 179, closing nine saloons.

## Millinery Notice.

Mrs. M. F. Marriott will show a full line of styles in hats and trimmings Sept. 19 and 20.

All are invited to call and inspect my display.

## All for Her Sake—as Usual.

The colored sexton of a wealthy church had a very stylish mulatto wife. Finding his domestic income not quite equal to his expenses he decided to apply for an increase in salary. So he wrote a letter to the committee in charge with this explanation at the close: "It's mighty hard to keep a sealskin wife on a muskrat salary."

## The Last Sunday.

Next Sunday closes the conference year at the Methodist church, this city. The pastor's themes will be: God's Immeasurable Love and Gift (Rom. 3:16), at 11 a. m., and "More Than Conquerors" (Rom. 8:37), at 7:30 p. m., God willing. At the morning service the pastor will give the substance of the report of the year's work he will make at conference next week at Nevada, Mo. Every member and friend of the church may thus learn what the church has accomplished during the year, if present.

The pastor and family have enjoyed a very pleasant year with the church and people of Versailles, because of so many kindnesses shown them, and the fairly prosperous work of the church.

A goodly number of new members were added to the church, while less than one third as many were lost. Only one passed on to her reward; Mrs. General Ivy. The Sunday school and the societies of the church have grown and prospered, all by the blessings of God, and the faithful labors of the many workers. Hear the full report next Sunday.

Come and welcome.

S. P. CAYTON, Pastor.

## Playgrounds in the Street.

"In the beginning" school boards overlooked the necessity of ample playgrounds around the public schools in some cities and now the limitation of "ramp space" can only be overcome by roping off the neighboring street during recess time, a method adopted in Washington, and proposed in New York.

The juvenile animal is as naturally frisky as any other footed creation on the face of the earth and will seek its muscular diversion by simply jumping up and down, if there is no other outlet; a fact that may be actually observed on a crowded playground if one will look sharply.

To run is the normal manifestation of childish high spirits and all the popular games are running games. It is a hardship to have to mark time on a bricked area 30 yards square; so that the school authorities have secured permission to appropriate the adjacent public streets for fifteen minutes twice every day.

Such defiance of the rights of automobiles may be confusing and mystifying and it might be feared that wrong ideas of the proper use of the streets may be inculcated in youthful minds, especially since children have been disciplined of late, chiefly by hard knocks, to keep out of the streets altogether.—F. H. C. in Globe-Democrat.

The above might have been written for Versailles, it is so applicable. Won't the city council vacate the streets around the school house and give the young folks a half a chance.

## Rocky Point School.

Enrollment; male 10, female 19, total 29.

Number of days attended by all pupils for the month 511

Average daily attendance 25 11 20

Number attending every day 21

Tardy marks 0, visitors 8. Those receiving attendance certificates were: Victor, Albert, Elsie and Herbert Schlichtig; Nettie and Bonnie Igo, Bessie and Bonnie Fowler, Mary and Jim Morton, Henry and Lulu Richardson, Mae Moore, Leda Peoples, Lloyd Lampton, Della and Anna Smith, Floyd Hays, Rebecca and Eva Gehlken and Effie Cochran.

ELVA RICHARDSON, Teacher.

## Mt. Zion Conference.

The Missouri Iowa district Mennonite Conference held its fortieth annual session at the Mt. Zion church, six miles northeast of Versailles, beginning August 26, and closing August 29. About one hundred visitors, representing about twenty congregations, were in attendance.

All of the first day and the forenoon of the second were devoted to the work of the Sunday school. Reports of Sunday schools of the districts were given, after which a program, which had been previously arranged, was carried out. The main topics for discussion were "The Ideal Sunday school, its organization, its character and its influence." Many valuable points concerning Sunday school work were developed, which will be helpful in making the work more practical and also more spiritual.

The afternoon of the second day was given to the mission work of the district. The field with its needs was discussed. The greatest need is that of willing workers, followed closely by means for carrying on the mission work. A report of the work of the past year was also given.

Two days were given to discussing problems confronting the church. Among the questions handed in by different ministers were:

"Is our present system of working bringing about the best results?"

"To what extent should converts be instructed before being received into church fellowship?"

"What constitutes the unequal yoke mentioned in 2nd Cor. 6:14?"

"How should a minister regard his calling?"

Another important question was that of a union of the different branches of the Mennonite church.

Each question was discussed in an edifying way. The evening sessions were followed by a gospel sermon. The conference adjourned, to hold its next session at Cherry Box, Mo.

## Goldierly Appearance Spotted.

Australia's school cadet system has a humorous side which has been affording some amusement to the teachers in the island continent. Put briefly, the youngsters who are subject to compulsory drill, keep on growing, and their uniforms are, well, not elastic. This fact has been accentuated by the dilatory manner in which the uniforms are delivered. In some instances a year has been allowed to elapse after the small boys had been measured and their struggles to get into their clothes and their appearance afterwards were ludicrous in the extreme. At one school, St. Stanislaus college, Bathurst, the president, Rev. M. J. O'Reilly, states that some of the boys were measured eighteen months ago, and their uniforms have not arrived yet.

## The Chautauqua.

The Chautauqua has come and gone, and proved a howling success, taking in much more than the \$600 guarantee, and it is said, giving the promoters their season tickets free, and possibly enough silver on the side to pay their way to the movies the balance of the year. A contract has been made for another run next year. Our people know a good thing when they hear it, and always ready to push it along.

## Barn Burned.

Last Friday evening about 8:30 o'clock the barn of Constable Moreland was discovered to be on fire. It seems that everybody had gone to the picture show or the lecture show, so the editor was about the only male left in McNair's Heights, and not enough females to give the alarm, but finally one of the latter reached the phone and had central spread the news that everything in McNair Heights was burning, and that soon brought the crowd, and especially the fire fighters, and the fire was soon under control. The Boy Scouts covered themselves with glory and blisters, and should be furnished with a hand apparatus, truck, ladders and buckets. Such an outfit would not cost more than a Chautauqua. It was lucky the wind was taking a rest or other buildings would have gone up in smoke. There was an insurance of \$200 on the building. Rev was fortunate enough to get in from a trip to the country so late he did not have time to drive home, so put his horse and rig in the feed yard while he went to the show, and so saved horse, buggy and harness. This is another plea for water works.

## A Secret Marriage.

The friends and acquaintances of Miss Rose Huber of this city will be greatly surprised to learn of her marriage to Mr. Clark A. Holloway of Kansas City, Mo., Sunday, June 1st. Owing to business reasons it was agreed from the beginning, that in every respect the marriage was to be a closed secret for at least three months and in order that the desired effect would be more certain the license was obtained at Liberty, Mo., the day previous to the marriage. The ceremony occurred at five thirty in the evening, and was performed at the Central Baptist church of Kansas City by the Rev. Claude B. Miller the pastor. The only persons present other than the minister and the contracting parties being Mrs. C. B. Miller and Mr. Wm. F. Schmidt a close friend of the groom. Directly after the ceremony, bride and groom returned to their respective homes where affairs resumed their usual routine as if nothing had occurred. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Huber of 2116 East Franklin avenue, and is well known in Lexington having spent her entire life here with the exception of the brief time she resided in Kansas City. Mr. Holloway is an energetic young business man coming to Kansas City from Versailles, Mo., several years ago during which time he has gained many friends. He is a member of the First Baptist church taking an active interest in all work pertaining to the church and Sunday school.

After October 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Holloway will be at home at 2938 Monroe Ave., Kansas City Mo. — Lexington Intelligencer.

Clark A. is a son of Bro. John Holloway, who is renewing his youth in the far northwest, and if he is as good a man as his father, and he

seems to be "a chip off the old block," he is all right. May happiness be with the couple.

## Mrs. J. W. Boles

Will open with her new fall millinery Sept. 19 and 20th. Her goods have been selected by an up-to-date buyer that knows just what and how to buy. Mrs. Boles will be assisted by a young lady just out of the trimming rooms of St. Louis where she has been all fall. You can depend on correct styles

## A Surprise Party.

At the home of Mrs. Lizzie Noyes September 7, 1913, a number of relatives and friends of this good old lady celebrated her 75th birthday anniversary. Everybody came with well filled baskets, and when the noon hour arrived oh the good things that were there to eat, only three of the family being left as follows: Uncle Jim Ferguson, Aunt Liz Noyes, Aunt Fannie Cochran. Mr. Ferguson was not there, so the good old women took the head of the table and did justice to the good things to eat. Everybody eat and eat and yet there was more. Those present were: Aunt Fannie Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cochran and daughter Daisy, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hunter and family, Mrs. A. B. Kelsay and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Huffman and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cochran family, Mrs. Mary Holder and two children George and Melva, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Noyes and family; Henry, Thelma, Ruth and Cora Ferguson, Misses Mary and Martha Wood, Corb Silvey and family, Willie Bailey, Joe Huff, Homer Nebbins, George Koontz and son, Louis Wood.

Aunt Liz received several nice presents. ONE PRESENT.

## Luke McLuke's Jibes.

Cincinnati Enquirer.  
Thin skirts show which way the wind blows.

A man may change his plans of life, but he won't change his brand of booze.

When two women bury the hatchet one of them is always digging it up to see if it is still there.

The honest working girl claims she should receive a man's wages. Well, why doesn't she get married.

Every married woman knocks her husband at home and brags him in public.

What has become of the old fashioned girl who used have her waistband filled with pins?

Father wants to slap the children because they don't take castor oil. But when he has to take it he makes the war in the Balkans look like a pink tea.

A strong minded woman is one who doesn't care whether her hat is on straight or not.

A cross eyed man won't try to make googey eyes at the girls, but a girl who stutters will gossip as much as any other girl.

The fool men don't know it, but there are more married women boasting their husbands than there are knocking them.

One reason why a woman is superior to a man is because it takes her 39 years to reach the age of 26.

Grandma used to be an old lady who would throw a shawl over her shoulders and sit in a rocker and knit stockings all day. But nowadays she puts on a nickel's worth of prepared chalk, a straight front and a tight hobble, and follows the crowd.

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